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APPLICATION

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
P.O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9275

RE: Alternate Unit Well Application
11400 RA SUA
Golden Meadow Field
Lafourche Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **NOBLE ENERGY, INC.** for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the followings matters related to the 11,400' Zone, Reservoir A, in the Golden Meadow Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana:

1. To designate the Noble Energy, Inc. - LL&E No. 2 Well, at the location as shown on the attached plat, as an alternate unit well for the 11400 RA SUA.
2. To permit the unit operator, Noble Energy, Inc., to produce the 11400 RA SUA unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit well or both, at its discretion.
3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

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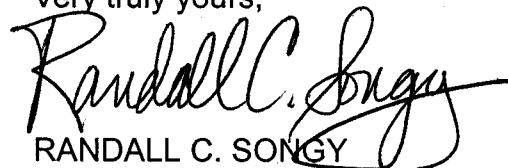
The 11,400' Zone, Reservoir A, in the Golden Meadow Field, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 14-KKK, effective January 28, 2003.

Any pertinent data relating to the 11400 RA SUA and the proposed alternate unit well can be obtained AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY from **W.H. Robbins & Associates, 140 Rue Beauregard, Suite 100, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, (337)232-5004.**

There is attached hereto and made a part hereof a plat which outlines the 11400 RA SUA and reflects the location of the current unit well and the proposed alternate unit well. There is also attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of the Interest Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this proposal is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is also enclosed our check in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, in payment of the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,


RANDALL C. SONGY

RCS/elg/bad

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Manager
Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties

19S - 21E

19S - 22E 27

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11400' RA SUA
195 ACRES
ORDER NO. 14-KKK

PROPOSED
ALTERNATE
UNIT WELL

EXISTING
UNIT WELL

TEXACO, INC.
L.L. 66
14516

13060' MD
12251' VD
X= 2,336,759
Y= 264,297

EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO.

DATE:

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

GOLDEN MEADOW FIELD
LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA
PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
11400' ZONE

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TEXACO, INC.
TALBOT, W.H. 1B
16806

SUNRAY OIL CO.
TALBOT 1
X= 2,338,872
Y= 267,705

CHARLES A. ONIELL JR.
2C
14349

TAMPLAIN & TALBOT 1C
15642

HASSIE HUNT
RUST

MONTEREY EXPL. CO.
TAMPLAIN & TALBOT 1
12508

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BOUNOX OIL CO., INC.
PNAF ETAL 18
11300

NOTE: ALL BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC

EXHIBIT NO. 3
DOCKET NO. 03-38

DATE: 1-28-03

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GOLDEN MEADOW FIELD
LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA
PROPOSED UNIT
11400' ZONE

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